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SUBJECT: SOCIAL STATUTE OF ENTERPRISE PROMULGATED WITHOUT
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1. HIGHLY PUBLICIZED SOCIAL STATUTE OF ENTERPRISE (ESTATUTO SOCIAL DE EMPRESA) WAS SIGNED INTO LAW BY PRESIDENT PINOCHET IN BRIEF CEREMONY EVENING MAY 1 (SANTIAGO 3082). CLOSE COMPARISON OF FINAL DECREE WITH ORIGINAL DRAFT (REFAIRGRAM) REVEALS NO SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES; THERE WERE ONLY REFINEMENTS IN LANGUAGE TEXT AND FEW OTHER MINOR CHANGES.

2. WE ARE AWARE OF SEVERAL UNION ATTEMPTS TO EFFECT MAJOR CHANGES DURING PERIOD BETWEEN ANNOUNCEMENT OF DRAFT AND SIGNING. MOST OF THESE WERE OUTLINED IN WRITING TO PRESIDENT PINOCHET OR OTHER HIGH GOC OFFICIALS. WHILE GOC MADE STRONG AND REPEATED PUBLIC CLAIM THAT IT WAS SOLICITING ADVICE OF UNION LEADERS, ABSENCE OF SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES IN FINAL PRODUCT INDICATES GOC EITHER IGNORED OR REJECTED ADVICE GIVEN. THIS ATTITUDE ON PART OF GOC HAS INCREASED MOOD OF FATALISM IN LABOR, PARTICULARLY AS REGARDS FUTURE EFFORTS TO MODIFY RECENTLY-ANNOUNCED DRAFT OF NEW LABOR CODE.
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